



Input from 10/15/2013 Meeting. . .

What can the city do to help businesses?

- Improve codes to be user friendly
- Lower state and federal taxes
- Repurposing properties - incentives

If I had a million dollars, I would . . .

- Gondola over the railroad tracks
- Zipline over the river
- Make improvements to the Convention Center and Coast Hotel
- Convert Cascadian to an historic landmark hotel
- Keep working on the waterfront
- Turn historic downtown area into pedestrian only
- Back-in angle parking
- Cement streets instead of asphalt
- Keep with removal of trucks 2014

General feedback:

- Fix up downtown (LID)
- Fix up buildings (take off stucco)
- B & O tax discussion
- Look at other cuts first
- Look at incentives for redevelopment
- Education about where revenues are going
- Economic development plan
- Support industries – sectors that are here – hospital – tourism
- Do we need a four-year university?
- Bring together a development task force including railroad – PUD – property owners – business interests - to help work together